

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Leah E. Appel, et al. :

Examiner: S. T. Tran

APPLICATION NO.: 10/799,536 :

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TITLE: Controlled Release By Extrusion of Solid  
Amorphous Dispersions of Drugs :

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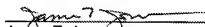
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

A Notice of Appeal was mailed in the above application on December 14, 2007. Applicants' opening brief was accordingly due, without extension, on or before February 14, 2008.

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is requested that the term for filing Applicants' opening brief be extended by four (4) month(s), such that the term for response is extended to June 14, 2008.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge the amount of \$1,640.00 as stated under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, as well as any additional fees required, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-1445. Two copies of this paper are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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